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Letter of Reference

RE: Logan Property 3092 Hayden Bridge Road Springfield, OR. 97477

The Logan family are long time residents of the Eugene/Springfield area. They have been involved in public and private service, business interests, teaching and many local charities too numerous to mention. They have raised their family here and now enjoy entertaining their grandchildren on this property. Their family roots run deep in our Willamette Valley.

The Logan's last wish is to impact the Hayden Bridge neighborhood adversely in any way. They have restored a historic home and farm building on their property, maintained the existing orchard and the McKenzie River section along the north property line. They have provided the same level of thought and care to the various events staged on their property--- from joyful weddings to respectful celebrations of life. All involve family--- I believe the Logans have complied with requirements provided in their agreement with the City of Springfield. I believe the Logans have made a conscientious effort to minimize impact to the surrounding Hayden Bridge neighbors (example: gravel parking lot vs paved so less runoff towards the McKenzie River)-- Celebration building with custom large glass doors that can be rolled down and lessen noise, yet still provide magnificent views of the Coburg Hills to the north, and shuttle /parking service from Hayden Bridge Road to the off street parking areas to lessen traffic impact during events.

In conclusion—I have known the Logan family for almost twenty years. Springfield is very fortunate to have them as citizens. They have provided the local economy with jobs, career paths for younger people and should be supported in every way. Thank you for your time this afternoon.

Regards,

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